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RE: APPLICATION OF BORCHERT ET AL.,
SERIAL NO.: 10/672,576;
FILING DATE: 09/29/2003;

RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT

Dear Sir;

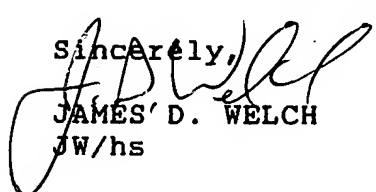
I am in receipt of a Requirement for Restriction regarding the identified Application. The Examiner has identified Claim Groupings:

1-26; and
27-28.

Applicant Provisionally Elects to proceed with Claims 1 - 26, with Traverse.

The basis of the Traverse is that Claims 1 - 26 involve effectively determining the Velocity of Propagation, in determining the location of a Fault. Claims 27-28 simply focus on an intermediate stage of the invention.

Sincerely,


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